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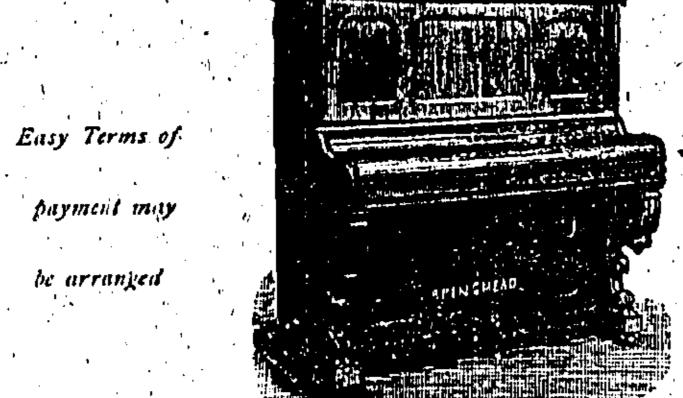
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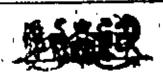
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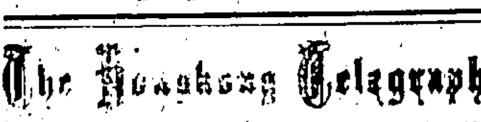
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TELEGRAMS

PORTUGAL AND ENGLAND. LONDON, April 21st.

The King of Portugal, in the course of a speech, expressed a hope that the negociations now proceeding with Great Britain would result honourably to both nations.

MR. STANLEY. Mr. Stanley has been received in Brussels with Royal honouss.

M. COUMANY'S SUCCESSOR. Count Cassini is appointed Russian Ambassador to Pekin.

SHANGHAI RACES

SPRING MEETING, 1890.

Stewards: - I. M. Ringer, Esq.; A McLeod, O. Schuffenhauer, Esq.; Robt. MacKenzie, Esq.; H. J. H. Tripp, Esq.; T. F. Hough, Esq., Clerk of the Course. Barnes Dallas, Esq.; Secretary.

SECOND DAY,—TUESDAY, APRIL 29TH, 1890. The CHU-KA-ZA CUP, value, Tis, 100; for China Ponies; weight for inches as per scale; winners of one Race since 1st October, 1889, 7lbs. extra; two or more Races, solbs, extra; entrance, Tls. 5. Half-a-mile.

Mr. Molloy's dun Dunkeld, 11st. 7lb....... I The SHANGHAI DERBY, a Sweepstakes of Tls. 15 each, with Tls. 100 added; for China Ponies being bond fide Griffins at date of entry; first pony to receive 75 per cent.; second pony, 15 per cent.; third pony, 10 per cent.; weight for inches as per scale. One-mile-and-

Mr. Sassoon's sk. Hero, 11st. 7lb. I The LADIES' PURSE, value, -; for China Ponies; weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tis. 5. One-mile-and-a-quarter.

Mr. Choufleur's gr. Elegant, 11st. 4lb. I The RACE CLUB CUP, value, Tls. 150; for China Ponies; weight for inches as per scale; winners at this Meeting of a Race of one mile or under, to carry 3lbs. extra ; over a mile, 7lbs.

entrance, Tis, 5. Two miles. Mr. Sydney's gr. Vengoance, 11st. ilb. I English,

The CONCORDIA CUP, Value, Tis. -: Presented by members of the Club Concordia, added to a Sweenstakes of Tis. 10 each; second pony to receive 40 ner cent., and the third pony. to per cent, of the stakes; for China Ponies. bord fide Griffins at date of entry: weight for inches as per scale; winner of the Derby, 7lbs. extra. One-mile-and-a-half.

Mr. Merevale's blk. Black Leaf, 11st. 11b..... The SPRING CUP: value, Tis. 100, added to Sweepstakes of Tis, to each, less Tis. to to the second Pony; for China ponies that have never won a Race; weight, 11st. for 13 hands; to give or take 6lbs. for every inch over or under. "One mile.

Mr. Franklin's gr. Likelihood, 11st. olb...... The SHANGHAI STAKES; a forced entry of Tis. 5 for all ponies, except those entered in the Roadsters' Plate; first pony to receive 75 per cent.; second pony, 15 per cent.; third pony. to per cent, of the Stakes; weight for inches as per scale. 1 One-mile-and-a-half.

Mr. Sassoon's br. Zephyr, 11st. 4lb..... The TAOTAI'S CUP: value. Tls. -: Presented by H.E. the Taotai; for China ponies; weight, 12st; winners at this meeting, 5lbs. extra; entrance, Tls. 5. One mile.

Mr. Sassoon's br. Sahara, 12st. olb. THIRD DAY,—WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30TH, 1890. The GREAT NORTHERN PLATE, value, Tls. 100, for Ponies that have run at this meeting: weight for inches as per scale; winner of one race at this meeting under a mile, 7lbs. extra;

two such races, rolls, extra; entrance, Tls. 5.

Seven Furlongs. Mr. Sassoon's br. Hollyhock, 11st. 1lb The PARI-MUTUEL CUP, value, Tls. 200, added to in Sweepstakes of Tls. 10 each; Second Pony to receive 30 per cent., and the Third Pony, to per cent, of the Stakes; for China Ponies; weight for inches as per scale; griffins at date of entry allowed 7lbs.; Non-Starters and Winners at this Meeting 7lbs. extra. One Mile and a Half.

Mr. Merevale's blk. Black Leaf, tost. 8lb. ... 1 Allowance of 7lb. deducted,

The CHAU-SHANG-KIUK CUP: value. Tls. founded by the Directors and Employes of the C. M. S. N. Co.-For China Ponics that have never run at any Meeting in China or Hongkong previous to date of entry at each Meeting-To be won at two consecutive Meetings or three times in all, by Ponies, the bena fide property of the same owner or owners; weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tis. 10: 80 per cent. of the Entrance fees to go to the Winner until the Cup is won, when the Second Pony shall receive same the remaining 20 per cent, to be allowed to accumulate, and the accumulation in excess of Tls 500 (to be retained for a new Cup) is to be paid to the Winner. One Mile.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Mr. Sassoon's sk. Hero, 11st. 7lb.

THERE will be a game of Polo on the Race-

course to-morrow, the 1st prox., at 5.30 p.m.

A SINGAPORE contemporary says that the Chartered Bank is giving its officers a bonus of ten per cent, on their salaries—a laudable and wise generosity.

A REGULAR Convocation of St. Andrew's Chapter, No. 218, S.C. will be held in Freemasons' Hall Zetland Street, this evening, at 8 for 8.30 o'clock Visiting companions are cordially

Mr. W. H. Talbot, late agent of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha in Shanghai and at one time proprictor and editor of the Fapan Gazette, is now. we understand, manager of the newly-formed China and Inpan Investment Company.

THE High Level Tramway Company have just issued their Summer time-table. There will now be additional quarter-hour cars between noon and one, the service being extended until eight o'clock; There will be several late cars or Sunday night also—a great convenience.

A SUGGESTION, says the Detroit Free Press was made some time ago that the world shoul be weighed. Mr. Greville Walpole, L.L.D., of London, now writes to say that the world was successfully weighed many years ago, and its weight was found to be 5,775,000,000,000,

AT an extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of the Songhei Koyah Planting Company, Ltd held this afternoon, the resolutions passed on the 14th inst, relative to the forfeiture of shares or which calls were not paid, were confirmed, on the motion of the Chairman-Mr. H. P. Tennan -seconded by Mr. G. Fenwick,

ONE of the last acts of Bismarck, before he climbed down, was to go for officials who wrote badly. The Acting Chief Justice had to complain of the same thing, during an appeal hearing this morning. Mr. Wodehouse really must admit that he writes the depositions as: he had hold of the wrong end of the pen. member of the staff of a contemporary, indeed, once actually copied the word "what" as

THE axiom that "the receiver is as bad as the thicf!" was well exemplified yesterday. Ng Kan Fuk, the party who until then "welcomed the coming, sped the parting guest " at Victoria Gaol, had got into trouble -- gambling, etc., had landed him on the rocks, so yesterday he departed to Canton, taking with as much of the property belonging to the Chinese prisoners as was worth taking-perhaps to the value of \$200, A warrant is out against him.

THE tracks of tigers are frequently seen now Esq.; W. Howie, Esq.; Jno. MacGregor, Esq.; on the high-road a few miles out of Singapore. The other day "Stripes" killed a Chinaman and ate his head. The Straits Times says that a number of European gentlemen, including Francis' arguments tended to show that the several officers of Police, have organised a tiger appellants were not the keepers of hunt, to take place on the first sufficiently moon, gaming house, although Yul Pul undoubtedly light night; of course the locality selected for the expedition is the infested jungle in the vicinity of Thompson Road.

> A NEW Company just missed being floated, this morning. Some coolles were excavating the foundations for the new wing to the Hongkong Hotel, when they came on a pool of quicksilver, about a yard below the surface, Before the alarm could spread to the Rialto, however, the deposit-amounting to somewhat about half-apint-was baled out by the discoverer. It had presumably run down from a broken vessel stored in the godowns that used to stand on the

THE traffic returns of the Suez Canal for 1889 show a total of 6.783,187 tons, an increase of 1143 coo tons on 1888, while the number of vessels declined from 3,440 to 3,425. English shipping was 713 per cent. of the total, or } per cent. more than in 1888. If subsidised steamers, Government ships, hired transports, and ships in ballast are deducted from the total tonnage, extra; penalties accumulative up to rolbs.; the cargo-carrying steamers left represent 4,901,464 tons, of which 92 per cent. were

THE P. M. S.S. Co.'s City of Peking, Capt. Cavarly, which arrived this morning, made the trip from San Francisco to Yokohama in 16 days. 16 hours, 39 mins., beating her own best previous record by 12 hrs. 36 mins. came down in seven days t hr. 26 mins., or t hours 38 mins, better than she had ever done it before.

THE Shanghai Courier says:-To-day business took us to the new U. S. Consulate in the Kiukiang Road, and when we ventured mildly to refer to the Cimmerian darkness of the stairs and passages which are placed in the centre of the building, we were formally served with the following printed notice:-"Adverse comment upon the darkness of our halls will be met with silent contempt. Repeated disregard of our feelings in this matter will result in suitable measures being taken by the U.S. Marshal to abate what is really becoming unbearable! "

AT the instance of Inspector Quincey a shopkeeper's assistant was charged before Mr Wodehouse, at the Police Court this with stenling a large quantity of soda-water bottle corks from the godowns of Messrs 'Dakin Bros' of China. Owing to the corks being marked Dakin Bros. it was urged that were they used for corking common ærated waters, such as Chinese manufacture, buyers would be imposed upon to the possible detriment of Messrs. Dakin Bros'. His worship imposed a fine of \$25 on the prisoner with the alternative of six weeks hard labour.

IN a memorial printed in the Peking Gazette, the Viceroy at Canton states that his predecessor took with him to Hupei all the officers on the Canton establishment who possessed a knowledge of foreign questions, and represents that he sorely in need of competent agents to take their place. There is an official on the Hupei staff named Chiang Ming-hsun who is intimately versed in foreign matters and who proved himself a most useful assistant to the Viceroy when he was formerly at Wu-chang. This officer has since been promoted to the post of Prefect of Chin-chou in Hupel and holds the rank of ex pectant Taotai. The Viceroy asks that he may be detached for service under his orders at Canton.—Granted by Rescript.

AT Penang, the other day, the owner of one of the Chinese theatres announced a new play that was to be produced for the first time in Penang that night. The play was to represent the wickedness of the Roman Catholics in Canton, besides insingtions of a most offensive nature to hold up their religion to public scorn. On being informed of this, the Police sent sent for the owner of the theatre, and warned him that if he performed the play he would not be permitted to perform in the theatre any more. The Chinaman lost no time in issuing fresh circulars stating that the piece could not be produced. That night Chief Inspector Drum visited the theatre with an order to arrest every one on the stage should the objectionable play be performed, which, however, was not attempted.

THE Japan Herald hears that the new Japanese Minister to Peking has been specially instructed to use every effort to obtain an audience of the Emperor, to present to him personally his credentials. The Minister also has instructions on the sublect of the revision of the treaties. is this subject of China in the background that has caused so many fears which have in part retarded the consummation of the revi sion. If Japan ignores China in the matter, as she has done hitherto, China will have an advantage in the way of tariff that other nations will not care to see, and which, as has often hinted, might lead to extensive importing through Chinese houses: or, on the other hand, Japan has to fear that when the country is thrown open she may be swamped by Mongolian immigration from her redundant population. In everything that is said or done on the revision question there is always an afterthought as to what arrangement can be made with China.

WHATEVER the Observatory Commission may say, the usefulness of Dr. Doberck is undoubted The other day, for instance, a chair-coolie who refused to join the Triad Society was attacked by a lot of his proselytisers and roughly handled. He summoned one of them, Mr. Robinson hearing the case. The defendant followed Weller senior's advice; and set out to "prove a hallybi." All his witnesses swore that the poor man was in the house all day, owing to the rain. But Mr. Wilkinson, who appeared for the complainant, consulted our wrather report, and found that the weather that day was lovely; whereupon he subprenaed the Colony's Scientist. Dr. Doberck duly attended this morning, and swore positively to the fact that the day in question was as dr as a bone, gradients being steep for N.E. winds which, as the "Law of Storms," (published privately owing to Government parsimony) would show, etc., etc. Mr. Leach defended. The case was adjourned. There is a peculiar something about this case which the Police would do we to investigate. When chair-coolies are assaulted they don't usually engage expensive lawyers and so on. At the least there is a serious clan-four at the bottom of it, whilst possibly it may have originated in a scrious breach in the local branch of the Triad Society.

SUPREME COURT.

IN APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

(Before the Full Court.)

YUI PUI AND ANOTHER & INSPECTOR

Mr. Francis, Q.C., (instructed by Mr. Dennys on behalf of Yui Piu and another, appealed against the decision of Mr. Wodehouse, Police Magistrate, who sentenced the appellants four months imprisonment with hard labour on the 24th September, 1889, for keeping gambling house at 170 Wellington Street. permitted gambling on the premises. As regarded the other appellant he contended that as shroff of the establishment, he could neither be considered as keeping or permitting gambling in his employer's house, and that

therefore he should be discharged. Their lordships held that there was sufficient evidence to prove that Yui Pul permitted gambling, but that the depositions did not justify a conviction for keeping a gaming house. Sentence therefore, upon first appellant, would be amended by the alteration of the term of imprisonment from four to two months. As to the other appellant their lordships were not able to say that he actually permitted gaming. The conviction against him was therefore quashed.

THE PUBLIC GARDENS.

The Superintendent, of the Botanical and Afforestation Department, Mr. C. Ford, in his

report for last year, says!-The increase in the vote for the Gardens has permitted various improvements to be made i in checking the fires.

walks and lawns has largely contributed to the general effect. The Gardens have been extensively used by the Chinese especially, but there is some difficulty in inducing a large number of them to observe rules which should regulate the conduct of visitors. The summer storms have been again numerous and every one of them has caused more or less damage from the effects of either wind or excessive moisture in the soil. Many pot plants especially suffer from the drowned condition to which their roots are subjected during the heavy rains The terrible rain storm which began on the 29th of May and continued during the following day perfectly flooded the level and moderately level parts of the Gardens, and even on the portions with steep gradients the rainfall presented the appearance of cascades, the drains, and channels being inadequate to carry off the 'immense volumes of water. Soil in open beds and borders and gravel on walks were swep away to a great extent. A portion of a retaining wall 40 feet long by 10 feet high collapsed and four landslips, besides the catastrophe in Glencaly Ravine, were caused. The bursting of the culvert in Glenealy Ravine within the New Gardens completely obliterated the lower portions of the grounds laid out and planted about seventeen years ago. Soil was washed away together with trees and shrubs, to a depth of 10 or 12 feet in some parts and landslips on the precipitous heights around were large and numerous, carrying away portions of the gallery walk and parar ets together with vegetation which had grown and hidden the ugliness of the onc bare staring faces of the fresh cuttings. The Public Works Department having replaced th soil carried away by the storm waters this depart ment has now in hand ground work which will, I trust, be relaid out and planted in a short time The excessive force of he downfall of the rain was exhibited after the storm by the appearance of ve etation of different kinds. The leaves of some trees were completely torn off, others had the leaves browned and blackened, while on some with elives of a softer and more stitculent cha racter, but where the plants were somewhat she tered from the full force of the rain, the leaves after being pounded by the rain hung in a decomposing state before the rains completely ceased. Sma and tender seedlings were completely destroyed in many instances. All landslips which occurred within the Gardens were removed, debris collect ed and carried away walks repaired, and bed and borders put straight again, in sixteen day after the storm, at which time the staff resumed their ordinary work. The mains through which the Gardens' supply of water was conveyed having been carried away by the storm's great portion of the water needed for the Gardens had to be carried from the nullah until the end of Oct. when connections were made which placed us again in a better position. The total cost repairs to storm damages within in the Garden exclusive of the work now going on in Glencal Ravine, was \$618.66. The estimate and vot was \$800. Landslips were numerous on th hills throughout the island, but they seem mor plentiful on the northern slopes than elsewhere probably owing to the greater steepness of the hills there. A considerable number of trees all siz s were carried away by these slips. se ms probable that landslips may be partly prevented by the roots of the trees which strike deep into loose soil. In this manner planata tions may perhaps be of service in assisting to keep roads clear by preventing landslips. Som of the most unsightly yellow earth exposed l landslips in plantations have been rough turied. In the tree nurseries, which, as a rul are lands alternately used as paddy fields. very large number of small seedling pine tree were completely destroyed by water or by their being covered with deposits of soil; these losses have greatly diminished the number o trees available for planting during the presen

in general appearance. Greater neatness in

38. The planting operations have been, as customary, distributed over the greater portion of the Colony exclusive of the Cape D'Aguilar and Stanley peninsulas. The operations preparing lands for the reception of seeds and trees began in August of 1888 and the last tre was planted on June 20th, 1889. There is no interval between the end of one planting season and the beginning of the next, as the selection of land making of contracts for the next season work begins immediately that tree planting finished. Actual planting begin on November (4th) 1888 and, as stated above was finished or June 20th, 18/9, i.e., it extended through a period of about six months, during which planting wa done on 126 days. During the whole of the season the greatest care and foresight has to b constantly exercised in selecting suitable condi tions of weather for insuring success in transplan ing operations. The absence of rainfall and water in streams on the hills at the time of yea when thees are in the best condition for transplanting renders t necessary to distribute the planting over wide areas and in localities great distances apart, so that trees may planted at convenient distances for artifici watering from such scanty sources as may b available. This, and the fact that the ver small bits of land suitable for nurseries are also scattered all over the island compels a system of desultory planting involving the expenditure of much time in superintenderce and manage ment which is tot felt where natural conditions permit operations to be carried out on more circumscribed and concentrated plans. yearly extension of lands brought within firest management and the greater distances of wor from head quarters does not diminish the strat experienced in maintaining or developing ef ciency in all branches. Owing to the Con tractor who engaged to rear and supply pit trees having failed to produce the full number agreed upon it was not possible to plant so extensively as had been arranged for. The failure was apparently owing to the Contractor ignorance of methods of cultivation, or careless ness of managem'n'. He failed to supp about two-thirds of the number stipulated for. A contract was made for 450,000 trees to be reared reported that soon after sowing the souds small may be completed as soon as there is an appor- siderable damage to frail buildings. The wind planted on the lands south and north of the rifle | sleet, instead of snow as in the West butts, and which have with their development so

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Peking, Captain J. M. Cavarly, bringing the American mail, with dates from San Francisco to the 5th inst., arrived here this morning. The following telegrams are taken from our San Francisco exchanges :--

THE LOUISVILLE TORNADO.

SAN FRANCISCO, 28th March. Later reports from the storm-swept States i the Mississippi valley confirm the first accounts of the great damage done by the tornado which visited that section on Thursday evening. No estimate can yet be made of the loss of life, but it will not be so great as stated in the dispatches published yesterday. The Relief Committee at Louisville, in an address to the public, states that in that city about seventy-five persons perished. The value of the property destroyed there is placed at \$2,000,000.

The nath of the tornado through the city of Louisville was about 300 yards wide and three miles long, sweeping across the river to Jeffersonville, which was almost demolished. Up to a late hour last nigh forty-five bodies had been taken from the ruins of the Falls City Hall, where most of the victims in Louisville lost their lives.

It is reported that the city of Bowling Green Ky., has been almost entirely destroyed, but, as it is cut off from all communication with the outside world, no definite information can be obtained. The loss at Metropolis, Ill., estimated at \$250,000 and at Gallatin, Tenn., will be about the same.

The storm passed through many States, and when fuller reports are received it is believed that the death-roll will run up into the hundreds while the property loss will be many millions of

Yesterday was a day of variety in Louisville Occasionally the sun shone. Then a light fall of snow heralded rain. As the evening came on the clouds became darker and the rain more persistent, and the wind, too was brisker, and a most pleasant night was assured. Soon after 7 o'clock there was a brief cessation, or rather moderation, of the storm and a few more people were seen on the streets while quite a number, mostly ladies and children gathered at a dancing school lin the Falls City Had. In the rooms on the upper floor of the same building several secret society lodges were

About 8 o'clock the storm began again wit renewed vigor and momentarily increased in to ce. The rain fell in sheets, the lightning wa constant and blinding, and blue flames chase each other along the telegraph, telephone an lectric light wires. There was so nething in the soughing of the wind that was ominous,

Sorn the streets were rivers and the wind was blowing through the city at a demon's pace Telegraph and telephone poles began to snap. and huge pieces flew through the air as if carried by invisible hands, knocking out windows and corners of houses, and sometimes sticking fas in some hole they themselves made high up in the brick walls.

By 8.30 there was alarm all over the city, and the body of the mighty tempest dashed itself on the houses along Fifteenth street and dragged and tore i self diagonally across the town to the river at Front street and on into Jeffersonville.

The passage across the city was not continuous and in a uniform direction, but it seemed as the devil of the airlif ed itself right up, fell with a crash on a square, then rolled over into adiacen squares, where it rested a moment and then dashed madly upward and forward again, lunging to the right and left with demoniac whimsicality. Every thing it touched suffered. Church steeples for crushing beneath their weight the buildings over which they stood guard, and wrenching wareiouses to fragments.:

The dread visitant passed to the river front, eaving to mark the boundaries of ruin a broad path of wreckage and dead and mangled humanity impaled and weighed down or burning in the ignited debris.

But a moment was needed to apprise the city of the horror that was thrown upon it, and thousands crowded to the stricken district Maddened men and women fought and struggled through the debris towards the home of some loved one or friend. From every side came the grouns of the wounded.

About the Falls City Hall the largest crowd instantly thronged and waited with white faces for the news from beneath the heap of ruins that shortly before had been the splendid hall.

Only a few minutes were needed to show how wide and deep was the tomb and how gorged with human corpses. Men and women dug at the pile with frantic eagerness with their fingers as if they were iron claws. All night they lingered and some are there yet.

Such desolation no city has known in this century. Every building, tree and telegraph pole in this district that was struck was leveled. The storm was predicted by the Signal Service officers yesterday afternoon, but no heed was paid to the warning. It came with scarcely a warning sound, and in all the buildings struck the inhabitants were engaged in their usual vocations. The district laid waste comprises an area of three miles long, and nearly half a mile wide,

It is very evident that it was not a cyclone. The effect was too widespread. For miles in either direction in the city occasional roofs were torn off and trees lifted out by the roots.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of goods lay last night upon the business streets at the mercy of thieves. It now seems almost 'impossible to find stor-houses for the vast amount of merchandise that is exposed. At many places towering walls of brick are oscillating in the air ready to descend at any moment. These points. of danger are guarded by the police and military company, who drive the surging crowds back at the point of the bayonet.

At the entrance of the various "dead rooms stand hundreds of people clamoring for admittance, but this is invariably refused unless it be to identify some relative or friend.

CHICAGO, March 28th.

The great storm began in the western part o in situ, and of that number, the Contractor Kanass and Nebraska and the northern half of the contingency of being called ex-Queen. Sha handed over a year after sowing, 429,238. He Indian Territory. The wind and snow were in wishes to assume the title of Queen-Regent for those localities, but not much damige was the rist of her life." birds attacked and devoured them to a large ex- done. From Eastern Nebraska it branched up This seems to be the first year that birds | through the eastern part of South and North | ment when she is willing to resign the actual have been noticed to do injury here to forest | Dakota, Wisconsin, Southern Minnesota and seeds or trees. Steps have been taken for the lows. Here there was a very heavy snowfall, King of England and Emperor of India. planting of such of the new roads at Kowloon as | but mild temperature and no damage beyond it was considered advisable should be done this blocking the railroads, etc. In Central and in the morning of tea and toast, and a chop, year. Kowloon is now pr. vided fair'y well with Northern Illinois and the lower part of Michigan trees, taking into consideration those in private | the storm increased in fury to a gale, the wind grounds, those in Robinson Road-which I hape fre ching fifty-five miles, an hour and doing contunity-and those which this department has was accompanied by a terrific storm of hail and

In Eastern Missouris Southern Illinois. greatly changed the once sterile and treeless aspect | Southern Indiana and Western Kentucky the of the hills to a scene of greater verdant beauty. storm assumed the proportions of a tornado. Throughout the dry season at the beginning accompanied by rain and hail. It was through and end of the year fires were numerous, there the latter strip that the damage was done, many night, he sneaks out and smokes his pipe by the having been 15 in all! Six of these fires destroyed | small towns in Missouri, Illinois and Indiana trees to the number of about 30,000 as mar suffering, besides those in Kentucky. The as could be ascertained. The largest quantity | cyclone proceeded southeast through Kentucky of trees destroyed was near Tytam Tuk, where over Bowling Green through Tennessee and into sides agree to resume work immediately. the destruction amounted to 16,000 and another Alabama, where it seems to have passed away, one near Pokiulam killed 9,000. Of the 15 fires In the North the storm, went east through o did no damage to planted trees. The fire | Canada, Ohio and Northern Pennsylvania. The Tribung, who is also professor of Latin to the parriers—cleared tracks—again did great service | center of the storm yesterday, was at Wichits, children of Archduke Charles Louis, telegraphs Kes., and this evening it was at Erie, Pa.

BERLIN, March 30th No German newspaper dare print the story of the Chancellor's retirement. Only foreign papers dare do it. Bismarck has not gone willingly, but has been forced, against his will, to resign the Chancellorship of the state he has served so well. When he came to the helm in Prussia in 1872 the power of the Crown had never been so limited nor so cavalierly treated by parliamentary parties, especially by the Extremo Right and the Extreme Left. To-day the authority of the Crown in Prussia rests upon a rock. It has not been so respected as it has been during the reigns of the last three sovereigns

then, to the genius of a single man. 🕟 🕒 💌 Now every party is by itself so weak that only by the courtesy of the Crown and its friendship can it hope to achieve rower. The dread of displeasing the monarch is so great that there is no possibility of independent thought or action on the part of any fraction in either the Landtag or Reichstag. They are none of them strong enough to tell the truth." They help to conceal

since the days of Frederick the Great, and that

it is so respected at this time is due, as it was

the true facts of the present situation. The truth is that the Kaiser's mind has been prejudiced against his faithful old servant. He is persuaded that he can govern better without a Chancellor. The Kaiser began to treat the Prince coolly soon after the latter's return to Berlin. This coolness increased so rapidly that the Prince formally raised the issue and finally. with characteristic bluntness, asked: "Am I in your way?" To the Prince's astonishment his Majesty gave no positive denial on the spot, but

seemed inclined to tem orize. Then the Prince intimated, his willingness to surrender all his offices except the direction of foreign affairs. It is Maj. sty was very willing to do this, but the veteran Chancellor soon became convinced that the division of his functions at this especial juncture would be extremely dangerous, and so suggested to the Kaiser the expediency of postponing all action in the matter until the Reichstag had come together or until midsummer, so that the Chancellor might control the debates on the socialist question, the increased estimates to be demanded for the army and the increase of pay for government officials in Germany, and especially in Prussia, who are the hardest working, best informed, most conscientious and reliable set of office holders

Up to ten days ago the arrangement was agreeable to the Kaiser. Then he sent to the Prince certain orders he knew the latter would rather resign than execute. When the Prince presented the matter anew to his sovereign, the orders were repeated, with the knowledge that the Chancellor's resignation would follow. The Choncellor, though, of course greatly excited, kept his head and did not send in his resignation at once.

His Majesty became impatient, and the quest tion was several times put to the Chancellar "Why do you not send in your resignation?" If the Chancellor had continued to keep and, he would have said: "I do not send it because I am no cow r', no Falstaff, to run away from men in buckram—to take my leave just as the Socialists and the strikers begin to threaten."

But his Majesty's resolution was not to be shaken. As soon as he thought he could do better without the Chancellor he withdrew from him. He spoke to the Chancellor with the greatest frankness, and managed to bring about several occasions when he might do so by allowing things to be done calculated to provoke an outburst from the Chancellor. The latter, aware too late of how matters stood, sought to effect a compromise by seeking leave of absence for six months, but in vain; his Majesty's mind was firmly made up. The Kaiser was tired of the Chancellor, and looked forward without regret to the time when either natural causes or circumstances should tear him from the post he

BARCELONA, March 30th. The strike is spreading throughout Catalonia. Forty thousand men have quit work, and it is expected that many more will soon join them. There is a strong anarchist element among the vorking-men.

VIENNA, March 30th. Letters from St. Petersburg declare that the riginal cause of the student outbreaks in Russia was indignation over Siberian outrages.

PARIS, March 30th, Advices from Dahomey state that Colonel Terreilon attacked the native forces on the River Ocueme. The native losses were heavy.

NEW YORK, March 30th. The first news of a disastrous dynamite explosion at Huanchaca, in Bolivia, was cabled from Panama on March 23rd. A Gmebling, superintendent of the reduction works of the celebrated

Huanchaca mine says !-"On February, 25th, at 10:25 o'clock in the evening, 10,900 pounds of dynamate exploded. The explosive was stored in the town and in close proximity to the supply of petroleum and lubricating oils belonging to the company. The shock of the explosion was terrible in its effects.

"The burning oil scattered by the explosion instantly set fire to the greater part of the town As I jumped up from bed there was fire all around. The noise, crice and groans of the sufferers were terrible. Up to date (February 21st) twenty-eight victims have been found and about twenty more are missing, having been buried under the ruins. "The loss cannot be accurately, given. It

amounts to at least \$5000,000, and may reach

LONDON, March 3:st. It is now stated on the highest official authorrity, as well as being a matter of gossip in Parliament and at the clubs, that the Queen is seriously considering the step of abdicating the British throne. The recent reception of the Prince of Wales by the German Emperor has had a great effect on the aged Queen, who is now convinced that her son ought to have a chance to play the leading role in England during the rest of her life, which is certain to be Bhortis i rangua baigh fail gad Allica i an in an anan ga

The Outen's bodily infirmities are increasing. and she is so rapidly running to flesh that massage is necessary to assist her breathing. One strong objection of the Queen to abdicating is

A pecial bill will be introduced into Parlia. throne, and the Prince of Wales will be crowned

The Queen's daily food consists at 6 o'clock stale bread and cocoa at noon, : At 5 o'clock in the afternoon she has tea and crackers, and her dianer consists of clear, stup, underdone beef. chicken salad and claret. She is not allowed

any beer, champagne, or vegetables, At Aix the Queen passes a quiet evening with Princess Beatrice and Prince Henry of Batten. berg, playing the piano, singing, and playing cribbage, Poor Battenberg finds this dreadfully dull, and, after the Queen has retired for the lonely sea or drinks beer at a bar.

Michael Davitt has prranged terms for a settlement of the Liverpool dock strike. Both ROME, March 31st.

The Vienna correspondent of the Roman this evening to that important Roman Journal

the following startling information, resulting, he says, from an interview with a high personage whom he cannot name at present :

"According to this personage negotiations have been in p ogress for several months between the Emperor of Austria and the Vatican which may lead to a cession of the troublesome province of Trieste to the Holy Father as, a place of residence. The offer has been actually made, and only an answer from the Vatican is awaited.

At the Foreign Office and at the nunciature can learn nothing, but I have reason to think that this startling statement is not without found ation. Of course, however, the consent of the Reicharath would have to be obtained to such "a cossion.

New York, March 31st. A peculiar and laughable case has just ended in the United States court now in session in Utica. Paul James Gregory was on trial charged with using the United States mails for fraudulent purposes. He had advertised a prescription that would win any one's

A lawyer in Pottsville, Pa., wrote for directions, and received in reply a letter in which was the, following passage: "By following my instructions you can gain a woman's love as readily in church or on the street as by a long courtship. If the person is your bitter enemy you can operate my treatment with as equal success as if she were your best friend, and win her undying love. Either sex can follow out with success my lessons."

Gregory had received thousands of letters from all over the country. A lady from Boston writes: "I have longed to be loved for twenty years, but as yet cannot find the secret. I would give anything if I could get a man to love me. A Wyoming woman from New Orleans says "I am eighty years old and am passionately in love with George Francis Train. Tell me how I am to win him?"

From California comes a cry: "I want some one, I don't care who he is, to love. I am red haired and live on a California farm. Send the secret by telegraph, C. O. D."

The following was received from a Utica. woman: "I find after many years of reflection that I want to gain the love of a nice, clean old man. I am 42 years old, a widow, and have my eve on a wealthy old bachelor. The quicker you send me the secret of love the better, for I am burning with a desire to again enter the married state. If your secret is successful you will receive \$1000; if not, then I am lost. Delay not, for I hourly expect your

The young Vassar girl says: "I am a young student and do not know what love is. I am willing to make it a study. I want your aid and assistance.

The jury failed to agree.

LISBON, April 1st. Dr. Loring, the American Minister, has returned from Rome, and his taking active mersures to bring the negotiations relative to the Delagea bay railway to a satisfactory settlement. Until this is accomplished the question of payment can scarcely be considered.

BERLIN, April 1st. Prince Albrecht Waldeck, cousin of the Queen of Holland and Duchess of Albany, advertises in the leading journals that the reigning Prince of Waldeck is a liar and has driven him to bankruptcy. He also says that his wife's fortune is sufficient to pay all his debts.

LONDON, April 1st. The Nottingham spring handicap was won by

Colonel Hughes-Hallett has decided to apply for a divorce from his wife, formerly Miss Emily Schaumberg of Philadelphia. The proceedings will be based on Mrs. Hallett's alleged misconduct with John Chandos, the solicitor. Colonel Hallett shows papers and the affidavits of a detective whom he employed and of the butler.

The latter swears that in many vital points, Mrs. Hallett's breach of the marriage contract entitles her husband to a legal separation or even divorce, and a third of her income. Hallett confronted his wife with the butler's affidavit and a terrific row took place. Mrs. Hallett packed her trunks and left for the Continent. The case will soon come before the public,

A scene occurred in the Strand this afternoon. Viscount Hinton, son and heir of Earl Paulett. who has made himself notorious by playing the part of a clown in pantomimes, and who has also undergone imprisonment for robbery, for grinding an organ accompanied by his wife. An aristocratic looking gentleman approached them, and endeavored to persuade the erratic Viscount to desist, offering him a clerkship on the Stock Exchange.

The offer was loudly declined in the presence of some 500 people. Hinton then became very excited, and swore that he would never alter his. course of life until his father dies. During this exhibition Lady Hinton took around the hat to collect coppers, and the goodnatured gentleman retired amid the jeers of the crowd.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that the Czar has been attacked by a sudden illness. The suicide who left the letter was a naval officer who belonged to an aristocratic family. The matter has been hushed up.

New York, April 1st. . It is practically settled that Champion John L. Sullivan and Jim Corbett of San Francisco will fight four rounds within three weeks.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 1st. Arrangements have been made for the meeting

of the Emperor William and the Czar during the coming summer. The Emperor will attend the maneuvers of the

Russian army at Krasnoc-Szelo, Several high officials in the mining districts, including two owners of gold mines, have been imprisoned for peculation and bribery.

LONDON, April 2nd. During the races at Fowey, Cornwall, to-day the grand stand collapsed. Two hundred persons were thrown to the ground, a distance of thirty feet, and many were injured, some fatally,

The Telegraph's St. Petersburg correspondent say: The peasants are rising in Riazan and blood has already been shed. The agitation is spreading to Finland and Poland, and gendarmes and Cossacks have been sent to quell the disorder. The excitement is intense. Everybody sympathizes with the students.

ST. PETERSBURG, April and. In consequence of the discovery of a conspiracy among students of the university here. it and the Institution of Technology have been

closed by the authoritics. Count Delianoff, the Minister of Publice Instruction, has rejused to receive the petition recently prepared by the students of the university asking for a reduction of entrance fees, the unrestricted admission of news and the equality.

of male and female students. Three hundred excited university students assembled to-day, intending to much to the Ministry of Public Instruction, but the police

intervened and arrested 175 of them. stitute and many pupils of the School of Forestry | keeping of a small harem on equal shares of the and the Academy of Medicine have been arrested; expenses.

for taking part in seditious meetings. and will be tried on a charge of being political! decided, for reasons of state, that he had better revolutionists. Forty-two have been expelled marry; so two or three Sundays ago, the from the university. Forty-four will be subjected two princes talked matters over while at to minor punishments, and the remainder will suppor in the Casino Club at Sonders. be released. The disorder is considered a sign | hausen. Prince Loopold demanded that

of revolutionary plans in connection with the agitation in foreign countries regarding the treatment of political prisoners in Siberia. It is not thought that the movement has the slightest prospect of success. Sixty-seven students at Charkoff University have been arrested and eleven expelled.

ZANZIBAR, April 2nd. Emin Pasha has finally accepted the preposals made to him by Major Wissmann, and has entered the German service. He will leave Bagomoyo in the middle of April for Victoria Nyanza, accompanied by a large caravan and 200 Soudanese troops.

A proclamation has been circulated signed "Emin," addressed to the Arab populace. In it the author vehemently and absolutely di claims being concerned in any way whitever with Stanley and the English in the recent civil action. against Tippoo Tib. The Arabs are amused. I ONDON, April 2nd

The Times has an editorial reproaching Emin Pasha. It points out that after British money and enterprise has extricated him from his untenable position he is now assisting Germany in her anti-British movement

NEW YORK, April 2nd

A cable special from London to the Telegram says: Great exertions are being made to cover up the peculations in the Commissionary Department of the Admiralty, and the effects will probably be successful. That Jack's rations have been symtematically sto'en, adulterated and replaced by food of the most inferior quality touches one of the tenderest points of the English mind, but it would appear, unfortunately, that the parties concerned in the iniquity are of too high a position to be publicly dealt with, and in all probability they will simply be dropped from office at convenient intervals.

ZANZIBAR. April 3rd. Fmin Pasha accuses the British Consul of falsely describing him as the plaintiff in Tippoo's case, the real plaintiff being Stanley. Emin appears mistaken in this, the real plaint a being the Emin Relief Committee. The general belief is that politicans are making a catspaw of Emin. Stanley cables: "I accept Emin's action as proof that he has recovered from his accident I wish him bon voyage. The gospel of enterprise is spreading."

VIENNA, April 3rd., -A telegram from B-rlin announces the p. blication of a pamphlet entitled "He Goes: What Now?' It is reported that Emperor William himself is the author of the pamphlet. In any case it betrays an intimate knowledge of affairs. It states that a secret society, including among its members the Emperor. Caprivi and General Du Vernois, Minister of War, proposes to reconcile the democratic parties, alienated by Bismarck, and that the Emperor has adopted the social theories of La Salle and Taine. It compares him to Savonarola- and Constantine, and says he has taken the new social doctrine into his own hands to save the tottering thrones of Europe. The pamphlet has caused a sensation.

LONDON, April 3rd. The Vienna correspondent of the Times declares that diplomatic relations betweed Servia and Bulgaria have already been severed.

PARIS, April 4th. In an interview Etienne, the Minister of the Colonies, said that the French forces is Dahomey would shortly attack Whydah, a coast town where the Dahomians obtain arms.

CONSTANTI OPLE, April 4th. The Sultan has arranged for new negotiations with England for the withdrawal of the English

LONDON, April 4th It is rumored that the O'Shea divorce case, in which Parnell is co-respondent, has been finally

The Daily News declares that Balfour's Land Purchase bill has no chance of becoming a law A gang of forgers of Spanish and Italian bonds has been caught at Trieste. The forgeries amount to 25,000,000 francs. It is stated that many

well-known men in London and Paris helped to dispose of the bonds. Advices from St. Petersburg reaffirm the reports of the serious condition of affairs in Russia. The Czur is suffering from nervous fever. The scheme for the Russification of Finland is received with extreme disfavor in that

country. Trouble is certain to follow. The students of the St. Petersburg University attacked General Grosser, the chief of the St Petersburg police. He was thrown to the floor

and kicked by his assailants. The students declare that the agitation was solely on account of educational matters. In proof of this they assembled and sang "God Preserve the Czar." The Czar was greatly incensed because of the disturbances and has signified his intention of closing all the higher public educational establishments for a year. It is feared, however, that a year's idleness will foster the growth of disaffection.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 4th. The Czar has abandoned his proposed bunting trip in Poland on account of a plot to throw the imperial train off the track. This was discovered by the fact that a decay train, supposed to contain the Czar and his suite, was wrecked by rocks placed on the rails.

The police at Gatschina have discovered an explosive on the grounds of the imperial palace. The imperial family has in consequence renounced the idea of going there to finish Lent. The Czar, for two days has suffered from relapses of influence, which compelled him to postpone audiences. His condition is not

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 4th. Russia has notified Turkey that the sums paid on account of arrears of the war indemnity and the securities given for the payment thereof are not sufficent, and, therefore, if the new loan which Turkey proposes to raise is subscribed for, she will demand priority for payment of her claims before the money is devoted to other

CHICAGO, April 4th. The Times New York special says: The startling information that the United States Government has been robbed of \$1,000,000 through the importation of gloves upon which no duty has been paid caused vast excitement among Custom-house officials to-day. The information came in cablegram from United States Consul Dederick at Lelpsic. The frauds are said to refer to enormous importations of gloves from Germany which the merchants of New York and other cities manage to smuggle through without the payment of duties.

DRESDEN, April 4th. Court circles are enjoying a scandal in the little principality of Schwarzburgh-Sondershausen. Prince Leopold, brother of the reigning sovereign, Prince Charles, has removed all his things from the palace, where he has been living for years, to an hotel. Hitherto both princes, who are Prussian generals and aged respectively 68 and 58 years, have been great chums, their Some 300 students of the Technological In- intimacy even going so far as to include the

Prince Charles, although married, is childless: At Moscow fifteen students have been arrested | Prince Leopold being a bachelor, it was recently

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in case of his marriage his allowance of \$5000 per annum should be increased. The elder Prince did not take kindly to the proposition, and said that if Leopold could not afford to support a princess as his wife he should try to

marry a rich girl of lesser rank. This offended Prince Leopold and he left the club abruptly. He was on his way home to the castle when he was overtaken by Prince Charles, who sneeringly repeated his advice. Prince Leopold viciously turned on his brother, hit him in the face, and a fistic battle then ensued between the brothers, who were both in musti. The sentries who were pacing the road to the castle did not dare interfere, but some officers arrived opportunely, and they, by shielding the reigning Prince with their bodies, succeeded in lulling the

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UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED

NOTICE.

TURING the temporary absence of the Undersigned Mr. W. J. SAUNDERS will act as Secretary of the Society. By Order of the Board, N. J EDE,

Hongkong, 30th April, 1890.

Motices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. DE WESTLEY LAYTON, in our Firm, ceased on the 31st March last.

Taiwanfoo 1 > 21st April, 1890. Takow.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

NOTICE.

AR and Mrs. TUCKER (from the Adelphi REGULAR CONVOCATION will be Hotel, Liverpool) have been appointed held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland MANAGER and MATRON of the Hotel from this Street, THIS EVENING, the '30th instant, at'8 for 8.30 O'CLOCK precisely. Visiting Com-By Order of the Board of Directors, panions are cordially invited.

R. LYALL Secretary.

Hongkong, 29th April, 1890. CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION,

No. 31.

T HAVE this day handed over charge of this office and the Kowloon Stations to Mr. J. McLEAVY BROWN, the newly appointed Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and

F. A. MORGAN Commissioner of Chinese Customs

Custom House, Kowloon, 29th April, 1890.

HAVE this day assumed charge of this Office and the Kowloon Stations.

. McLEAVY BROWN, Commissioner of Customs, for Kowloon & District, Custom House.

Kowloon, 29th April, 1890. NOTICE.

THE firm of BIRLWY & Co. at this port has ceased to exist, and the goodwill and business of the same has been handed over to and will, henceforth, be conducted by, Messrs. HERBERT DENT & Co. of Canton and

BIRLEY & Co. Canton, 15th March, 1800.

EFERRING to the above all amounts due to and owing by BIRLEY & Co. will be settled by

KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS: Canton, 15th March, 1800.

NOTICE.

MR. KENNETH DOUGLAS' ADAMS, late of Messrs, BIRLEY & Co., Canton, has joined our firm from this date and is authorised to sign the name of the firm.

HERBERT DENT & Co. Canton, 15th March, 1890.

Intimations.

H. FOURNIER & Co.

TENDERS will be received at the Registry of the Supreme Court until the 15th day of May next, for the purchase in one lot of the Stock-in-trade, Goodwill and Book Debts of the Firm H. FOURNIER & Co. of Queen's Road. For inventory and other particulars, apply to

EDW. I. ACKROYD, Official Administrator. Hongkong 25th April, 1890.

NOTICE.

THE JELEBU MINING AND TRADING ___NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. COMPANY, LIMITTED.

DIVIDEND of 3 per cent. for the period FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON, In from 1st April 1889 to 31st January 1890. having being declared at the first ordinary General meeting of the above Company held ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed to-day the Coupon No. 1 of the Share-warrants will be paid by the New Oriental Bank Corpothat all goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf ration Limited in Singapore or Hongkong as and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence follows.

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HUTTENBACH BROTHERS & Co., General Agents Singapore, 19th April, 1890.

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sented to the Undersigned on or before the 6th. MR. STANLEY SETON, who has had many years' experience of Teaching both at Home and in the East, is prepared to give LESSONS in OIL and WATER-COLOUR ADAMSON, BELL & Co., PAINTING. Terms and Particulars may be obtained from Messrs, Kelly & Walsh, Limited, Hongkong, 24th April, 1890,

entimations

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

OTICE is hereby given that A SPECIAL or EXTRAORDINAY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of May next, at noon, for the purpose of considering, and, if approved, of passing the following Resolu-

1-That the Capital of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation be increased from \$7,500,000 to \$10,000,000 by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$125, to be issued at the price of £42 10s. Eastern Shareholders to pay for their allotments, at the current rate of the day for Demand Bills on London.

2-That the said New Shares be in the first instance, in such manner as the Directors shall prescribe for that purpose, offered to the Shareholders in the proportion of one New Share for every three Shares of which on the 31st May, 1890, they shall respectively be the Registered Holders, and that any New Shares not accepted by the Shareholders within the time limited by the Directors for that purpose, be disposed of and allotted by the Directors in such manner and at such price as in their discretion they shall think best in the interest of the Com-

That payment of the sum of £42 10s. per share for each of the said New Shares be made as follows, viz :-Lio 12s. 6d. on the 30th day of June, 1890 £10 128.6d. " 30th " Sept., £10 128, 6d. " 31st ., Dec., " 31st " March, 1801 £10 123. 6d. ..

4-That the Directors issue to Shareholders holding shares not a multiple of Three a Fractional certificate in respect of each share in excess of or below such multiple. and allot one new share to every person who shall produce three such Fractional Certificares on or before the 30th Time, 1890, and pay the first instalment in respect thereof. 5-That after payment of the first instalment and pending payment of the future instalments. Scrip Certificates in such form as

the Directors may defermine he issued in respect of such New Shares, entitling the Holders on payment of the remaining instalments, and subject to such other terms as 'to approval, date for lodging Scrip Cordificates, and otherwise as the Directors may prescribe, to be registered as the Holders of the Shares represented by such Scrip Certificates respectively. 6-That interest at the rate of 5 per cent, per annum (free of income tax) be, allowed out

of the profits of the Company on all instalments paid in advance of the dates when the same become due and that from the 30th. June, 1890, Holders of Scrip Certificates be entitled to participate in future dividends. in proportion to the amount of instalments paid up, on an equality with the other Shareholders of the Company. -That interest at the rate of 8 per cent, per

annum be charged on every instalment which shall not be punctually paid, and be paid with such instalments. 8-That all moneys received from premiums on the said New Shares be added to the Reserve Funds.

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. WADE GARDINER Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 2nd April, 1800.

SOCIETE FRANÇAISE DES HOUILLERES DE TOURANE,

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed that the Second Ordinary MEETING will take place at Haiphong, on the 5th May, 1800. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, 20th April, 1800.

NOTICE OF CONFIRMATORY MEETING THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the above named Company, Queen's Road Central, No. o. Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day, of May, 1890, at 4 O'CLOCK in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Confirming the Special Resolution [525] proposed and passed at the last Meeting of the Shareholders held on the 21st instant.

A full and complete copy of the Resolution passed at such meeting may be seen on application at the Company's Office.

Dated the 23rd day of April, 1802. REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., General Managers.

THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given to Holders of N Shares in the above Company on which CALLS are still unpaid, that unless said Calls with Interest, at the rate of 12 % per annum [524] from the due dates are paid on or before the 15th day of May next, at the Company's Offices 6. Ice House Lane, the Shares in respect of which such calls were made will be liable to be forfeited, and under the provisions of Article X Subsection VIII. of the Articles of Association. the Board will pass the necessary resolutions for the forfeiture of the said Shares.

GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, 28th April, 1890.

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on which the SECOND CALL of \$50 per Share due 31st July, 1889, is still unpaid, that unless the sald call, with Interest at the rate of 9-/oper Annum, be paid to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, or the General Managers at the Co.'s Office, Nos. 50 and 52, Queen's Road Central, on or before the 17th May, 1890, the Shares will be liable to be forfeited. MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,...

General Managers. Hongkong, 24th April, 1890.

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29th April,-Whampon 29th April, General, -Ed. Schellhass & Co. SUNCKIANO, British steamer, 994, C. B. Dodd, 29th April,---Whampon 29th April, General.

-Butterfield & Swire. CITY OF PEKING, American steamer, 3,129, J. M. Cavarly, 30th April,-San Francisco 5th General.-P. M. S. S. Co. PEKING, German steamer, 954, F. Schultz, 30th

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Paddy.-A. G. Morris. FREJR, Danish steamer, 462, C. A. Lund, 30th

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DEPARTURES. April 29 Amoy, German steamer, for Saigon. April 29, Tailes, German steamer, for Salgon. April 90, Clara, German steamer, for Haiphong. April 30, Tannadice, British steamer, for Sin-

April 30, Tritos, British steamer, for Bangkok. April 30, Arratown Aprar, British eteamer, for Bingapore/Acv1/23 April 20, Nansing, British str., for Amoy, &c.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Soochow, British steamer, for Swatow. Sungkiang, British steamer, for Foochow. Cass, Chinese steamer, for Amoy, &c. Vorwaerts, German steamer, for Saigon, Nanzing, British steamer, for Amoy. Arratoon Apear, British str., for Singapore, &c.

PARRENGERS—ARRIVED. Per Monmouthshire, str., from London, &c.-Mrs. Cairn, Mr. Nakashima, and 30 Chinese. Per Peking, str., from Shanghai .- 25 Chinese. Per City of Peking, str., from San Francisco, &c.-General Le Gendre, Mr. M. Bennecke, and 108. Chinese.

Per Lennox, str., from Saigon,-30 Chinese. Per Sorachi Maru, str., from Bangkok.-42

REPURTS.

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May, at 4.30 P.M. For Kobe.—Per Menmuir on Saturday, the ard May, at 2.30 P.M. For Straits and Bombay,-Per Bormida on Tuesday, the 6th May, at 11.30 A.M.

For Europe, &c., &c.-Per Bayern on Wednesday, the 7th May, at 3.30 P.M. For Yokohama, and San Francisco.-Per Tonquin Coal Mining Co .- \$400 per share, City of Peking on Saturday, the 10th instant, at 0.30 P.M.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ALWINE, German steamer, 400, A. Bendixen, 2;th April - Pakhoi, and Holhow 24th April, General,-Wieler & Co. ANCONA, British steamer, 1,888, W. D. Mudie,

20th April,-Yokohama 17th April, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. APENRADE, German steamer, 1,475, J. Hohlmann, 27th April,-Bangkok 20th April, Rice.—Geo. R. Stevens & Co.

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-Tong Kee & Co. Cass, Chinese steamer, 704, M. Jensen, 28th April,-Amoy 27th April, General.-

CONGO, French steamer, 2,017, F. Vaquier, 29th April,-Shanghai 27th April, Mails and General.-Messageries Maritimes.

DORSET, British steamer, 1,716, N. Daniels, 26th April,-Saigon 22nd April, Rice.-Mitaui Bussan Kaisha, FAME. British steamer, 117, W. W. Allan .-Hongkong Government tender.

GWALIOR, British steamer, 1,602, Francis Cole, 20th April,-Bombay 3rd April, and Singapore 14th, General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. MEMNON, British steamer, 825, A. Dorff, 21st April .-- Sandakan 16th April, Timber .--Butterfield & Swire.

MENMUIR, British steamer, 1,297, :H. Craig, 19th April,-Sydney 29th Jan., Brisbane Feb., Townsville 6th, Port Darwin 15th, Banjoewangi 8th March, Sourabaya 31st, Samarang 4th April, and Batavia 11th Sugar,-Russell & Co.

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Sept.,-Touron 20th Sept., Coals.-Wing PROT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopani.

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Lapraik &. Co. 20. BAILING VESSELS. ARNOUDA, British bark, 977, James A. Green,

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22nd April,-Singapore 2nd March, Timber. Eur, British bark, 774, Summers, and March;-London 6th November, General, Order,

ERLKOENIC, Chinese bark, 457, Opium Examination hulk, Stonecutters Island, Chinese Escorr, American bark, 634, Lyle, 23rd April, -Rajang 28th March, Timber,-Chinese,

OBAKA, British bark, 517, T. Jones, 21st April,-Celebes 3rd April, Ebony Wood, Wieler

PATAGONIA, British bark, 1,199, Wm. Hibbert, Bib March,-New York 4th Nov. Kerosene Oil -Russell & Co. P. N. BLANCHARD, American ship, 1,503, N. W. Blanchard ard Feb .- Hlogo 29th January,

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Hongkong, 21st April, 1890.

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President 4th-That the duty of preparing draft Rules and Regulations be entrusted to Mr. Young, and that a subsequent Meeting be called to consider and approve such Rules, and appoint Officers.

5th.—That a notification be published in the local papers inviting Gentlemen who wish to become Members to send in their names to Mr. Young without delay. The Undersigned will be pleased to receive

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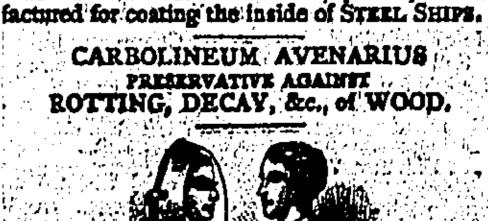
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